

STATUS OF CLAIMS:

As shown in the Amendments of Claims, claims 1-22 were issued in U.S. Patent No. 6,316,002 (hereinafter the '002 patent). Claims 1, 12, and 20 are sought to be amended. Claims 23-32 are sought to be added. These new claims are dependent claims of claim 1 and are fully supported by the specification of the '002 patent. Upon entry of this amendment, claims 1-32 will be pending.

SUPPORT FOR PATENT CHANGES:

Amendment to claims 1, 12, and 20 are is made to correct minor errors in spelling (i.e., to correct "ganodenna" to – ganoderma --). Support can be anywhere in the specification, for example, in the title of the application.

Support for new claims 23-24 can be found in Experimental Example 1 (at col. 9, lines 26-67 to col. 12, lines 1-41, and Table 2) of the '002 patent.

Support for new claims 25-27 can be found in Experimental Example 5 (at col. 26, lines 59-67 to col. 30, lines 1-32, and Tables 17-19) of the '002 patent.

Support for new claims 28-30 can be found in Clinical Example 1 and Patient #1 of Clinical Example 2 (at col. 33, lines 46-67 to col. 35 lines 1-49 and Tables 21-22) of the '002 patent.

Support for new claim 31 can be found in Patient #2 of Clinical Example 2 (at col. 35, lines 38-67, to col. 36, lines 1-9, including the table) of the '002 patent.

Support for new claim 32 can be found in Patient #4 of Clinical Example 2 (at col. 36 lines 21-38, including the table) of the '002 patent.

Applicant respectively submits that new claims 23-32 are fully supported by the specification of '002 patent. No new matter has been introduced. Additionally, Applicant respectfully submit that this reissue application is filed to add the claims that he is perfectly entitled to without any deceptive intention.

In view of the foregoing, the claims are in condition for allowance, early notice of which is requested. Should the application not be passed for issuance, the examiner is requested to contact the applicant's attorney to resolve the problem.

Respectfully submitted,

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